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Dies After Seeing Film

London, Oct. 1.—The death of a cinema theatre manager after a private showing and numerous cases of nausea and fainting among those who have seen it prompted dozens of film exhibitors throughout the country on Tuesday to cut from British newsreels a horror sequence showing a man supposedly run through by a sword. Shortly after he had seen the film and decided against running it at his cinema, Alfred Baylis of Chesterfield collapsed at noon yesterday and died about three hours later, "it makes me feel queer," he told "Associated Press" before he fainted.

Death was attributed to a heart attack. At an earlier public showing some of the audience fainted and others covered their faces and several walked out of the hall.—Associated Press.

ARMoured CARS BREAK BARRICADES

Paris, Sept. 30.—Four armoured cars with machine guns, heading a convoy of 143 French Army lorries, today broke through the barricades erected in Verdun by demonstrators resisting the transport of 400 tons of American sugar to the French occupation zone of Germany.

No one was injured in the clashes between the police and the pickets put up with at the barricades by the local Communist leaders.

The lorries, laden with the sugar, which had been unloaded from two barges on the River Meuse, were followed by a dozen Jeeps filled with armed Republican security squads.

Their destination was believed to be Worms.

As the first lorries gathered speed on their way towards Germany, a crowd held back by troops and police from the departure point, howled in anger.

The transshipment of the sugar had been held up for several days owing to civilian claims that the sugar was intended for German consumption.

Mass meetings in protest were held during the weekend in which a principal figure was Andre Savary, the Communist deputy for the Meuse, who last night urged the demonstrators "lie down, if necessary, before the lorries to prevent them from passing."

Among the demonstrators were miners from Boulogne who went into the town after the clashes over the weekend between the police and civilians.—Reuter.

Another Immigrant Ship Sighted

Jerusalem, Sept. 30.—RAF planes today reportedly spotted two Jewish refugee ships off Cyprus, en route to Palestine where, informed sources said, they were expected to arrive within the next two days.—United Press.

EDITORIAL

Too Many Mosquitoes

It is not doubted that the health authorities are alive to the dangerous increase of malaria, carrying mosquitoes which are infesting many of the Colony's residential districts, especially in Tsimshatsui and Kowloon Tong, but being aware of a menace and doing something about it are two different matters. One of the worst affected areas lies between Chatham and Nathan Roads, where, before the war, was almost wholly free of mosquitoes; now, people living on the top floor of four-story buildings are nightly assailed by blood-sucking malarial carriers. Kowloon Tong also has an intolerable quota of these buzzing horrors, breeding so fast that regular spraying of houses with DDT fails to keep them away. One of the first problems the health authorities tackled after the liberation was destruction of the mosquito breeding grounds by aerial spraying of DDT. It was carried out by the RAF and was an immediate success. Mosquitoes and flies vanished almost overnight. The treatment was repeated at regular intervals so that by the end of last year Hongkong could claim that it had conquered the menace and that

Disturbances In India Cause Anxiety

PAKISTAN'S APPEAL

London, Sept. 30.—The views of the Governments of India and Pakistan on the communal situation, which has been the subject of an appeal by Pakistan to Britain and the Dominions, are receiving the close and sympathetic consideration of the United Kingdom, it is learned from authoritative quarters tonight.

The India-Burma group of the Cabinet discussed the matter last night.

The Government recognises that the continuance of communal violence and loss of life is causing great anxiety to the Governments of both the new Dominions.

It is felt, however, that the issues involved are so delicate that the exchange of views between the various Governments of the Commonwealth, including India and Pakistan and the United Kingdom, may continue for some time before any positive development can be expected.

Meanwhile, the hope in Britain is that the joint measures decided by the Indian and Pakistan Governments at the Delhi Conference on September 19-20 will lead to some early and definite improvement in the situation.

Political quarters here noted with satisfaction the joint sentiment expressed by the two Governments at that Conference that any conception of conflict between India and Pakistan was repugnant not merely on moral grounds but because it would result in disaster to both.

LONDON OPINION

The feeling here is that, whatever steps ultimately may be decided upon and whatever the rest of the Commonwealth Governments feel they can contribute towards easing the tension in India, the problem, in the long run, is essentially one for the authorities of India and Pakistan on the spot.

No further news is available of the reactions of Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa to the views of Pakistan and India, which all are in possession, but it was reported that the Prime Minister, Mr. Joseph Chifley, of Australia, has confirmed that he is in close touch with the other Dominion Governments.

It is assumed here that the Australian Government is also in communication with the Australian High Commissioner in Delhi.

Official London quarters have no knowledge of a suggestion that General Lord Ismay, Lord Mountbatten's Chief of Staff, is coming to London for conversations with the Home Government.

There is no confirmation of a rumour that the Governor-General of India, Viscount Mountbatten, might come home at this juncture.

Informed quarters, dismissing such a suggestion as improbable, point out that Lord Mountbatten is now constitutional head of one of the two new Dominion Governments.—Reuter.

FIRST HAND REPORT

New Delhi, Sept. 30.—Sir Archibald Carter, Joint Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Commonwealth Relations, who has been visiting India and Pakistan, will return to Great Britain on Friday to give the Government his first hand report on the situation in the two Dominions.

He will be accompanied by General Lord Ismay, who has been acting as liaison between the two Governments, and who will be available, if necessary, for the Cabinet discussions.

Lord Ismay, whose mission is described as not official, is likely to give the Government an appreciation of the Indian Government's efforts to cope with the troubled situation in India, it is understood. The Premier of India, Pandit Nehru, speaking of these efforts in Delhi today, said that he wanted to take "effective measures" against Pakistan for "failing to protect its minorities," but his hands were bound by similar happenings in his own country.

"I would have liked the armies of India to march into Pakistan for the protection of the helpless, rather than to see them occupied in quelling riots and guarding hospitals," he said.

Pakistan State in its entirety was today declared a dangerously disturbed area.

FLOODS CAUSE HAVOC

The State—the premier Sikh State in India—is now surrounded by Indian Union territory. An ordinance was issued by the Maharajah today prohibiting the carrying or possession of arms without a licence, except for sheathed kirpans used as religious symbols by the Sikhs.

Liaquat Ali Khan, the Premier of Pakistan, flies to New Delhi tomorrow for a meeting of the Joint India-Pakistan Defence Council.

From Lahore, floods have brought traffic on most sections of the East Punjab railway to a halt.

About 40,000 people were reported tonight to be affected by flooding on the normally placid Juma river, now a swift torrent, which has cut, has half-submerged factories, temples and thousands of mud and bamboo huts.

Over 100 villages are under water or cut off by the flood, but the worst phase is now over, the authorities say.

A buried store of tommy and other guns, ammunition, daggers, spears and hatchets were found today in a mosque courtyard at Cawnpore in the United Provinces during an eight-hour police search.

Over 25 people, including Government servants, were arrested.—Reuter.

HOSPITAL ATTACKED

New Delhi, Sept. 30.—It was officially announced today that armed raiders attacked Sadarjang Hospital, near Willingdon air station. Three patients were killed and 13 wounded, one of whom died later.

Non-military guards fired 10 rounds and one assailant was injured. The Emergency Committee of the Cabinet has taken a serious view as the hospital is guarded by non-military personnel and it directed immediate punitive action against villages near Delhi, where the raiders were believed to have come from.

The movement of refugees in East and West Punjab restarted after the cessation of the rains. The roads are still impassable. No attacks were reported.—United Press.

SHIPPING STRIKE

Melbourne, Sept. 30.—Australian marine engineers, ignoring the last-minute appeals to remain at work, began leaving ships all round Australia's coast today in a strike which threatened to immobilise 101 Australian-owned ships within a week.

The walkout, following strike notice by 600 marine engineers, began at midnight. This six months' old inter-union dispute between engineers and seamen began with the dismissal of a fireman member of the Seamen's Union, after he was reinstated by the Maritime Industry Commission.

The engineers claimed that the discipline of the engine room was at stake. The Australian Trade Union Congress, supporting the commission, threatened a week ago to call on affiliated unions to man the ships' engines if the engineers were withdrawn.—Reuter.

DR HO CHI MIN REPUDIATES BAO DAI

No Right To Negotiate With French

Saigon, Sept. 30.—The President of the Viet Nam Republican Government, Dr Ho Chi Min, broadcasting today, denied the right of Bao Dai, ex-Emperor of Annam, to negotiate with the French on behalf of the Viet Name people, and claimed that the whole nation was supporting the resistance government under his presidency.

Dr Ho stated: "The repeated requests that Bao Dai is reported to be making to return to Indo-China are merely the perfidious manoeuvres of French colonialists to divide us and make us fight among ourselves. Fortunately, we are aware of these machinations and shall not let ourselves be divided."

On September 19, Bao Dai announced in Hongkong that he had accepted appeals from Viet Nam representatives for him to negotiate with France concerning the future of Indo-China.

His statement followed a speech by M. Bollaert, French High Commissioner in Indo-China, a week earlier defining French policy in Indo-China.

Last Wednesday, the French news agency reported from Saigon that representatives of all Cochinchinese political parties at a conference of party leaders had unanimously accepted Bao Dai's offer of mediation.

Hoang Minh Giam, Viet Nam Republican Foreign Minister, declined to meet the British Consul at Hanoi to arrange the distribution of food and medical supplies to French prisoners of war in Viet Nam, he said, it was learned today.

Mr Hoang's reply, broadcast by the Viet Nam Government controlled radio, expressed "inability to meet the Consul in the near future," but added that the Viet Nam authorities were willing to a "red Cross representative to meet any one on the Consul's behalf." It was also suggested that this meeting might take place near Hanoi.

The broadcast reply also requested the British Consul to ask the French authorities for a ten-hour truce on the day of the meeting.—Reuter.

Shinwell

Howled Down

Southport, Sept. 30.—Noisy interruptions greeted the Minister of Fuel, Mr Emanuel Shinwell, when he addressed the 25th National Conference of Labour Women which opened here today in the presence of 800 women delegates from all parts of the country.

Half a dozen women apparently members of the "Housewives League," which has been campaigning against the Government's austerity measures, gained access to the hall.

Their boos and catcalls and vehement protests and calls for order from delegates several times forced Mr Shinwell to pause until order had been restored.

Mr Shinwell, in his speech, said that the responsibility for the present situation lay heavily on the shoulders of Liberals and Conservatives.—Reuter.

Yankees Win Opener In World Series

New York, Sept. 30.—New York Yankees, American League champions, beat Brooklyn Dodgers, winners of the National League, 5-3 in the opening game of the best of seven World Series at the Yankee Stadium here today.—Reuter.

SING TAO LOSE AGAIN

The Hague, Sept. 30.—The ADC Soccer Club of The Hague beat the Chinese touring team, Sing Tao Sports Club, of Hongkong, by five goals to three here this evening.

The Dutch side led 4-0 at half time. Results of football games played tonight are: Third Division Northern: Accrington 5 New Brighton 3. Rugby Union: Falmouth 0 Cross Keys 0. Redruth 3 Aberavon 14. Rugby League: Yorkshire Cup, second round, first leg—Keighley 2 Castleford 0.—Reuter.

CHELSEA NOT SATISFIED

London, Oct. 1.—Chelsea Football Club of the English First Division announced on Tuesday that of the offers it had received for the transfer of Tommy Lawton, Chelsea and England centre forward, none is acceptable.

Blackburn Rovers, Derby County, Tottenham Hotspurs and Notts County are among the clubs which have admitted their interest in securing Lawton and Chelsea is reported to have been offered up to £17,000 for the player whom they placed on the transfer list two weeks ago.

In granting Lawton's request for a transfer Chelsea let it be known that they were not interested in cash only. They wanted players to go in part exchange.—Associated Press.

VON NIDA OUT

Birkdale, England, Oct. 1.—Flory van Donck, Belgian professional and the British Walker Cup amateur James Wilson, beat another British Walker Cupper J. Morton and the Australian professional Norman W. Nida in the 19th hole in the second round of the Daily Telegraph £2,100 amateur-pro foursomes golf tournament.

Brewer Who Never Drank

Liverpool, England, Sept. 30.—After brewing beer for nearly 60 years, George Irving, Liverpool, retires tomorrow without having ever had a pint of his product to drink.

The only time Irving, who is 80 years old, touched beer was when he tested it for testing purposes.—Reuter.

TWO MORE PALESTINE EXPLOSIONS

Jerusalem, Sept. 30.—While the Palestine police tonight continued their hunt for the terrorists who yesterday blasted Haifa's police headquarters with a tar barrel full of high explosives, killing 10 and injuring 64, two more outrages were reported, one in Jerusalem and one 20 miles from Haifa.

At the same time the authorities prepared to receive two more non-quota immigrant ships with—according to Jewish sources—3,850 refugees on board.

The ships, the Padugah and the Northlands, were sighted in the Black Sea during the weekend, and were expected to reach Palestine territorial waters tonight.

Today, Jerusalem explosion, when bombs blasted an Arab shop near the Jaffa gate, was believed by the police to be the work of Arab terrorists to discourage Arabs from buying Jewish goods.

The other attack was on the Cairo-Haifa train, when a mine derailed two coaches.

No casualties from either incidents had been reported tonight.—Reuter.

Jews For Australia

Marseilles, Sept. 30.—Approximately 100 European Jews, most of them from England, left here yesterday, aboard the Panamanian ship Tidewater for Australia.

The port authorities said they were part of a group of emigrants given permission to enter and settle in Australia. Others are to leave within the next few months.

Originally 335 Jews were to leave on the Tidewater, but a spokesman for the port of Marseilles said the British authorities here had ruled that only 100 could leave at this time.

The spokesman said that inasmuch as the embarkation had been strictly controlled by the British authorities, there could be no possibility the Tidewater would turn into another refugee runner bound for Palestine.

In Paris, the Australian Embassy said they had issued visas for approximately 100 Jewish refugees upon the application of the Hebrew Immigration Aid Society.

The Australian Embassy spokesman said the 100 Jews were part of a complement of 400 passengers who left Marseilles yesterday on the Tidewater.—United Press.

COMPTON'S SUTTON

London, Oct. 1.—Denis Compton, Middlesex and England cricket star and Arsenal footballer, was successfully operated upon last Tuesday for the removal of a foreign body in his right knee.

Tom Walker, manager, said the operation was not serious and Compton will be completely fit again in about two weeks. He will start football training soon.

Compton has played for England and Arsenal as an outside left—Associated Press.



BY THE WAY

by Beachcomber

PURPORTING to be a Senior Grading Officer (Grade II) from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Mr Horatio Fidge called at the Embassy Theatre and refused to go away. He said he was there to measure Miss Genina Graham, who is playing the part of a mermaid in the play "Miranda." Brandishing a tape-measure, Mr Fidge declared: "If the lady and/or fish concerned can be passed through a child's wooden hoop without touching the sides, then under Article 20 Section 14 (c) sub-section 745, she should never have been landed and must be thrown back for next week, Mr Fidge proposes to visit Miss Genina Shaw, who is playing the part of a mermaid in the play, "A Fish in the Family."

Smiling through

FOR the children of women queuing outside his shop, a butcher has provided a couple of mirrors. This is undoubtedly what is known as a swing in the right direction, but does it go half far enough? No, no, no. Retailers must, in the ideal of the mothers, too, the ideal of which we must aim at is a circular fish shop built into the centre of a merry-go-round; you know where the stand organ usually is, instead of standing for an hour first on one foot, and then for an hour on the other, customers would be comfortably seated on tall stools, while the fishmonger served them as they walked past him. In this way queues could be kept constantly on the move, with no one being served out of turn. They would, of course, continue to bring their own canner.

Back answers to

Correspondents

"Only a - Working - Girl" (Cheltenham) If you have an old milk can put by it will do splendidly to brighten your gym frock, cut it into strips and paste it crosswise (from left to right) and quite a tiny snapper will make a most durable false moustache for your little brother.

Arthur, Fulham: "Fowler" is certainly an old pet name for your young lady, but by it will do splendidly to brighten your gym frock, cut it into strips and paste it crosswise (from left to right) and quite a tiny snapper will make a most durable false moustache for your little brother.

MOTTO
Laugh and the world laughs with you—write this column and you laugh alone

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2. Has the makings of a clean race. (10)
3. His best work is done with a blue pencil. (10)
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Every Wednesday in the Telegraph:

Sitting on the Fence

by NATHANIEL GUBBINS

I THINK it was Lord Byron who would never see a beautiful woman eat. On occasions, when he was lucky enough to make the acquaintance of a beautiful woman, he would never ask her to dinner or even offer her a biscuit in his presence.

If she had a hearty appetite, as beautiful women often have, I suppose he sent her down to the cook to be stuffed secretly in the kitchen. Or maybe he just let her starve. Writers are notoriously callous men.

Why have I brought this up? Because I think Lord Byron was more offensive to watch than the act of eating.

A waiter once told me that watching jaws champing for 12 hours a day made him nervous and depressed and haunted his dreams. If a waiter can feel like that it is not remarkable that a sensitive man like Lord Byron was distressed by the spectacle of beauty making a beast of itself.

How does the young man retain these illusions when he sees the beautiful eyes narrow at the sight of food and watches them glaze and stare into the middle distance while the strong (but beautiful) jaws champ and chew?

Victorian girls retained the illusion before marriage by eating sandwiches in their bedrooms before they came down to dinner. Then they pretended to be shocked at the gentlemen's large appetites. It was only after marriage that the gentlemen knew what little pigs they were.

Years ago, when I was silly enough to attend these functions, my stomach would turn over at the sight of the soup.

Why the soup? Because the serving of the soup was the beginning of the ordeal. It was the first act in the grisly drama everybody knew so well—soup, fish, entree, sweet, savoury, speech.

When the fish arrived Tum would be turning faster. What should I say if asked to speak? I had nothing to say. Perhaps a little wine would help. But it never did. Take the fish away, waiter.

When the entree arrived, Tum would be turning faster still. Maybe I'd think of something rather clever after another glass of wine. But I knew I'd forget it the moment I was on my feet. Take the entree away, waiter.

By the time the sweet arrived Tum would be going flat out at heaven knows how many revs a minute.

After another glass of wine I would think of something almost brilliant. But I knew I would never put it over.

I could put it over if I wrote it down. Yes, I knew all those tricks. But I could never put it over if I said it. I would never time it properly. Take the sweet away, waiter.

And you can take the savoury away, too. Tum has seized up.

More often than not I was never asked to make a speech at all. But the fear of making one had ruined a lovely lunch, or dinner.

How Tum would have enjoyed it all if he had been left in peace. How he would have opened his arms to every course, mumbling in his deep, soft voice: "More, waiter, more."

sonnel, newspapermen and a few visitors. Its accommodation is dingy and inadequate.

In its dining room, however, the waiter himself suggests ham and eggs—and he brings three eggs, not one. It is a far cry from London.

In Warsaw the waiter serves thick steaks, abundant vegetables and rich jellies topped with heaps of whipped cream.

There is no doubt that prices are shocking, judging by the relation of the zloty to foreign currency and Polish salary levels. The average worker could not possibly afford to trade in the free shops or eat in the free restaurants. There are arrangements for the workers to purchase at lower prices under state control, but of course this does not give them the leeway to live as do those with money to spend.

The stores and restaurants are too numerous, however, to keep open on transit alone. It follows that a portion of the resident Poles do have money to spend. The question of whether the privately operated stores will survive indefinitely is one of considerable debate. Many think they will be forced out of business, gradually at least, by state enterprises. But there is enough hope now, or enough gambling spirit or sheer necessity, to keep them going—Associated Press.

THERE'S LIFE AMIDST THE GRIM RUINS OF WARSAW

—By— JOHN LLOYD

Whatever may be in store for them politically, the Poles are digging into their war heritage of grim stark ruins with an obvious will to rebuild and struggle for a future.

On the surface at least, Warsaw bustles with life. Dents are being driven into the appalling mass of wreckage, the restaurants supply abundant and excellent food; there are many small private shops selling on a free market, and people make merry in spite of the awful surroundings.

The ruins loom in grotesque attitudes as far as the eye can see. To really understand, one must visit and look for himself. They are awe-inspiring testimonials of human brutality.

But—two years after—one-storey concrete buildings fringe many of the areas of desolation, housing shops that display everything from furs to electrical gadgets, and from art work to hams, roast chickens and liquors. Modest brick buildings are cropping out in the residential sections. Street cars

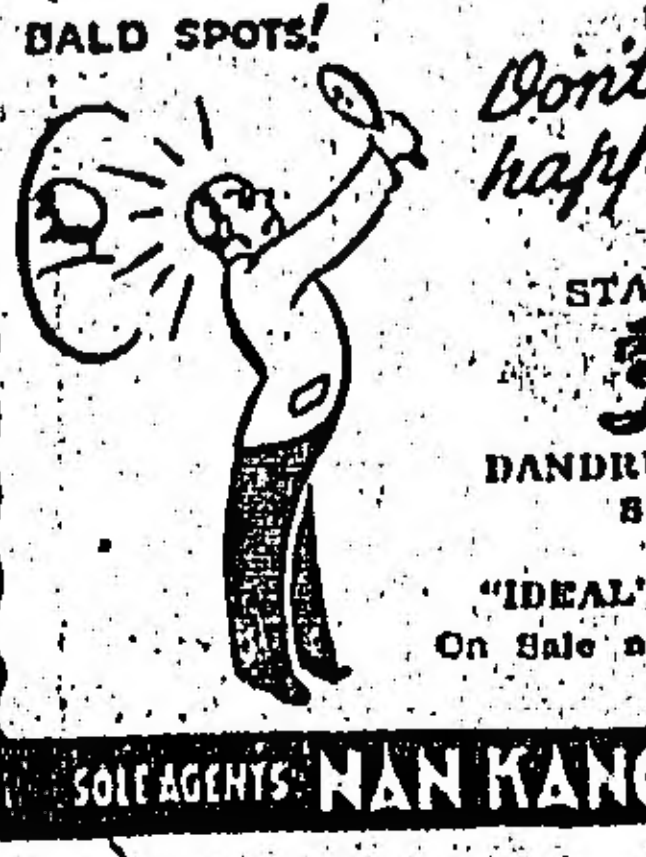
and buses have glass windows again, traffic policemen wear neat white coats, and most pedestrians are well dressed.

Rebuilding is going on much more noticeably than in Berlin, where destruction came home to the average Warsawer's roof with a vengeance. Warsaw's retrieved portion is small in relation to the enormous mass of the rubble, but it definitely shows positive effort.

On one side of the area of greatest destruction run the Avenues General Sikorskiego and Jerzolimskie. They form a wide thoroughfare and the side still standing—a relative term since the line of buildings is punctuated liberally with ruins—looks out over a vast zone of complete desolation. On the other side of the street stand one of the world's finest railway stations, it and its surroundings are now fields of rubble or crazy skeletons.

On the Avenue Jozefimskie, facing the ruins, stands the hotel that was spared by the Germans because they were using it and which now shelters diplomatic per-

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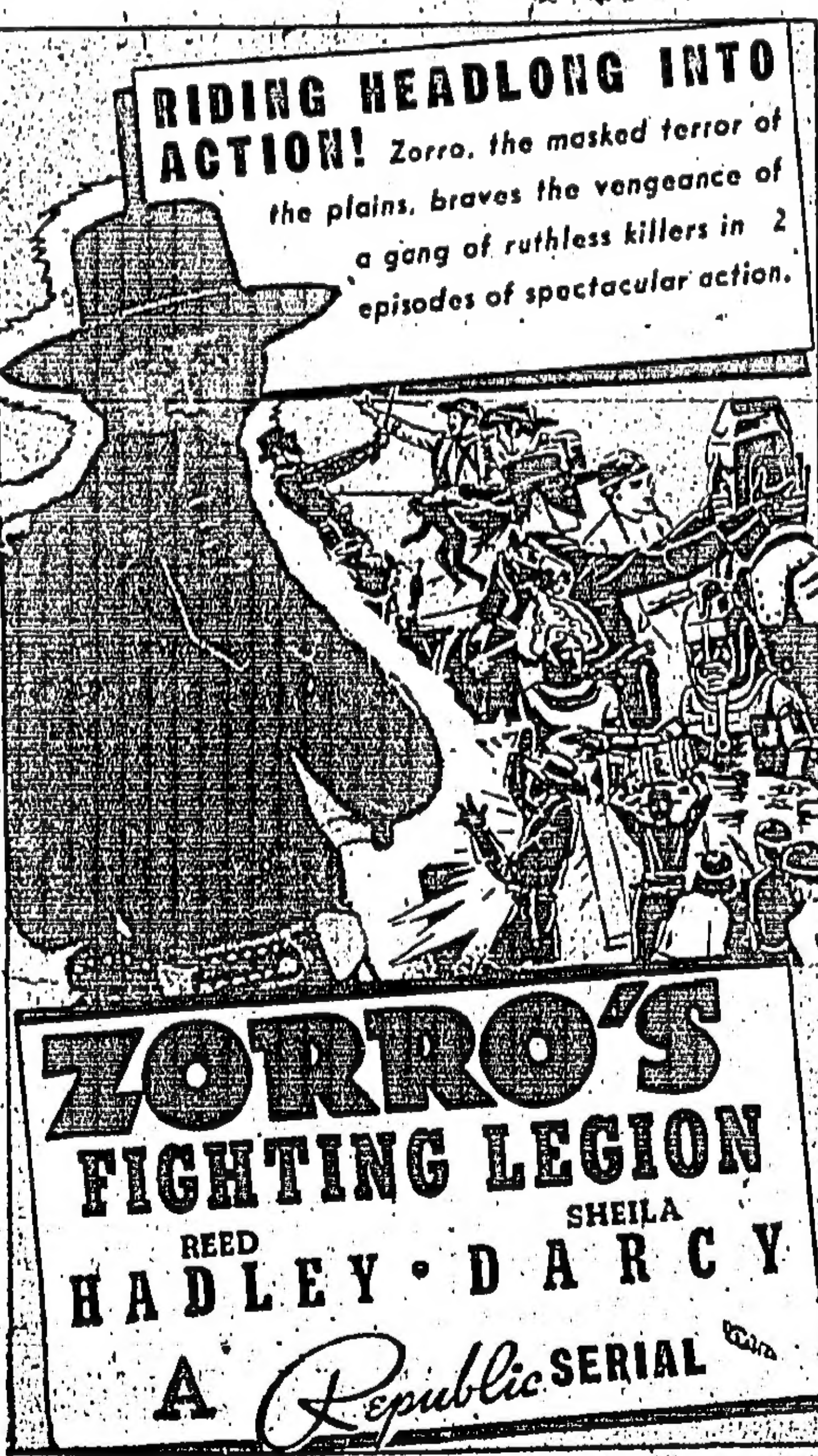
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"Dear Lois Leeds—I am rather tall but have good legs. Do you advise one-piece play suits and swim suits?"

—N. J.
I think that a flared, separate, button-on skirt is very flattering to the tall girl and far more feminine.

"Dear Lois Leeds—Please tell me what is the newest in hair styles."
—LILL.
Bangs! And you can cut your own. Bangs are very attractive and very new.

"Dear Lois Leeds—I am eighteen, have medium brown hair and brown eyes. Is there anything that I can put in the rinsing water when I wash my hair that will make it smell sweet until I wash it again?"
—MILDRED.

Hair that has been thoroughly washed and rinsed and sun-dried always smells nice. But you can put perfume in the last rinsing water. During the week cover your hairbrush with a clean cloth, sprinkled with perfume, and brush your hair.

"Dear Lois Leeds—My daughter is being married at home at six P. M. I am 50, tall, stout and gray-haired. What should I wear?"
—MOM.

An afternoon dress of crepe or lace in Black or Navy, with soft pink accents, would be nice. Have a beautiful hairdo and make-up.

"Dear Lois Leeds—My nose is so prominent. Would you advise plastic surgery?"
—M. L. F.

Yes! Your budget will stand for the best. Ask your physician or your local hospital to recommend a competent plastic surgeon. Plastic surgery is often not only an aid to beauty but to peace of mind and often gives new interest in life.

"Dear Lois Leeds—My skin is so very dry and no face powder looks well."
—SUE.
Apply a light film of oil or face cream before applying your foundation.

ADVANCE FOR AUTUMN



This well-dressed pair, a window and a woman, were seen in a West End show. The window-gazer was wearing an attractive colour combination, cream and brown. Her long full-skirted jacket in cream-coloured wool and straight brown skirt are perfect for an autumn day.
The house-gown in the window is cotton wool, glamorous and easy to launder.

SIDE GLANCES

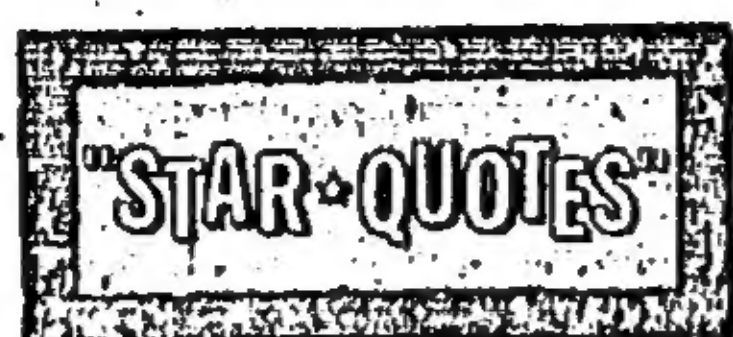
By Galbraith



"Now mind you, Junior—there'll be a policeman watching the play, so don't you dare put an arrow in that bowl!"

Radiolympia Opens In London Today

Radio manufacturers in Britain have set the stage for the great National Radio Exhibition—popularly known in the United Kingdom as "Radiolympia"—due to open at Olympia, London, from October 1 to October 11.



QUESTION TO BOB HOPE

"What's the Secret of your Success?"

He answers:

THE secret of my success is that I get a tremendous kick out of everything. Particularly my fellow humans. I want the world as my friend and I go all the way to achieve it. Handshake for handshake. Smile for smile. And mutual affection. I don't wish any one any bad luck. That's a waste of time. I've only one aim for myself: happiness.

To be happy, you've got to be at peace with those around you. To me, the pleasantest sound is laughter. It's your-making. I like to laugh and create laughter for others. As a double purpose, it's kept me healthy, and mentally and physically alive.

Never Bored

I'm never bored. For there's always something to do. Listen to others and then try to offer something of value of your own.

I like to be active. They ask me how I keep from collapsing physically. I owe it all to exercise. I've built up considerable resistance. In school I was quite a football player. I was also a fighter in my pre-show business days. Today, I play golf as often as possible and I make a point of sleeping eight to ten hours a night, as often as possible. This is a "must" in my life. Actually, though, I don't tire easily because I'm fond of what I'm doing.

Friend Bing

I've got great curiosity. I've got to know about the other fellow. Visitors stimulate me. The only way I'd ever collapse would be if I stayed away from the mob. Why? I'd become morbid and sickly just in the fear I might be missing something! On the set, I always try to know my lines and I'm always ready to do the scene "just once more."

However, the real secret of my success in my next two pictures, "My Favourite Brunette" and "Where There's a Will, There's a Way," is my good friend, Bing Crosby. He will not be there to steal the scenes from me! But unfortunately we'll meet again sometime soon on the "road," which this time is going to lead us and our girl friend, Dorothy Lamour, to Rio de Janeiro in Brazil, in a picture to be called "Road to Rio."

(Tomorrow—Joan Fontaine)

Says Filipinos Could Lead

Capt. John Williams Hughes of the Royal Army Education Corps, believes the Filipinos could assume leadership of all Eastern peoples if they wished. Arriving in Los Angeles from Calcutta, India, enroute to London, he said he spent three weeks in the Philippines, where he conferred with President Manuel Roxas and found the people feverishly rebuilding the cities ravished by the Japanese.

"Cebu, a city of 140,000, had hardly a building left standing at the end of the war, but everyone was busy and cheerful," he told newsmen. "It seemed as if everybody in the Philippines was travelling in a 1947 American car or a 1947 taxi."

In contrast, he found that in the Netherlands Indies rubber, rice and sugar are reappearing, but cargoes cannot be moved from Indonesian to Dutch ports.

The Hawaiian appear to be the most prosperous people of the Pacific, and Honolulu was the first completely civilized city he had seen in a long time, he added—Associated Press.

THIRTEEN TO LIVE ON LONELY ISLE

Thirteen members of the projected Australian Arctic expedition will spend 15 months on Heard Island, 2,000 miles southwest of Fremantle, Australia. No member is reported to be superstitious about the number 13, according to Trevor Heath, planning committee secretary.

Heard Island has been described as one of the loneliest places in the world. It has never been surveyed. Seventy-mile-per-hour winds blast the island almost continually and it is sometimes blanketed by fog. The party will live on fish, tinned eggs and meat. The men will make weather and scientific observations.

Preliminary details reveal that on the "heavier" side of the exhibition, Marconi's will be showing radio equipment of all kinds for communication and navigation at sea, on land and in the air.

Broadcasting and television equipment on view will include a 5 kilowatt medium wave broadcasting transmitter, such as has been supplied to the South African Broadcasting Corporation and other broadcasting authorities, together with some topical microphones used in broadcasting studios in many parts of the world; a television transmission monitor unit designed for use in television transmitting stations to enable the engineers to keep a constant check on the quality of the outgoing signal, and a horn-type transmitting aerial such as is employed to re-transmit very high frequency signals in a television relay link.

Telecommunication equipment for display includes a high speed telegraph and a telephone transmitter similar to the one installed in one of the special trains for the Royal tour of the Union of South Africa earlier this year, which enabled the Royal party to keep in touch with the rest of the world throughout the whole of the tour.

Safety in Air

How Britain's radio manufacturers are working to enhance the safety of the world's air traffic is to be shown by the display of navigational equipment for use on the ground and in the air. In addition to direction finders, blind approach guides and lightweight communication equipment, there is also a lightweight airborne automatic direction finder for use in the air, which gives instantaneous bearing indication. Immediately the desired station is tuned in. The weight of the receiver portion of this equipment is only 15 pounds.

Equipment for use at sea includes a new radar set for the Merchant Navy—the Marconi "Radiolocator"—which will be shown in conjunction with a chart computing unit. This unit enables the "picture" received on the plan position indicator screen of the radar set to be compared immediately with the chart, thus facilitating instant identification of any objects detected by radar.

There will also be a comprehensive display of marine transmitters, short and medium wave by means of telegraphy or radio telephony; depth sounding equipment, including visual indicator and recorder; an automatic alarm, and sound reproducing equipment.

A display of radio valves and quartz crystals will also be shown.

Seeks Better Human Race

A university professor hopes that plant experiments in his three-acre research garden near Evanston, Illinois, will help provide a stronger, healthier race of men.

The acreage has been seeded with 200 genetic varieties of corn. Associate Prof. C. J. Elgin hopes first to be able to improve and strengthen strains of corn through selection and hybridization.

Next, he hopes to learn more about the basic ways in which breeding can produce sturdier men and animals.

Science has learned that cross-breeding makes vigorous strains known as hybrids. It does not know why. It calls the quality "hybrid vigour."

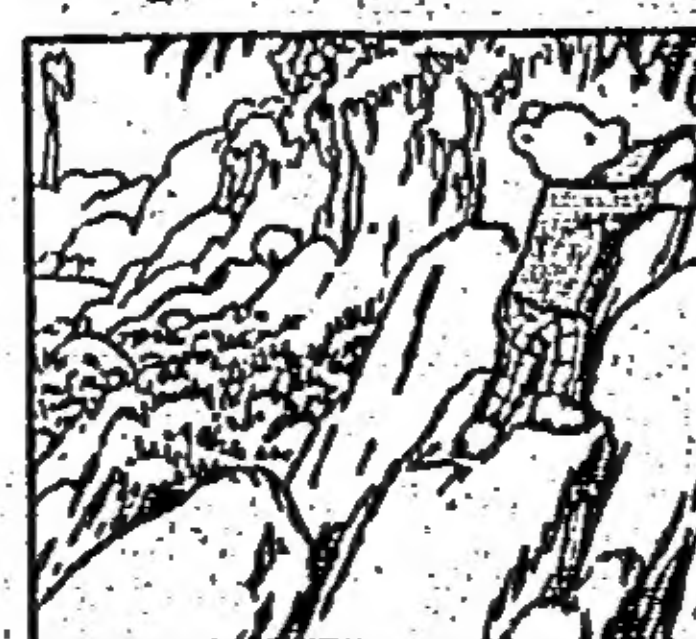
"Geneticists know how to obtain it and how to utilize it," but they do not know what it is," Dr. Elgin says. He thinks his corn plot may provide the answers. It may have wide results.

NEW PAIN KILLER JUST RUBS ON

A new dental anesthetic has been developed by Dr. Gustav W. Rapp, biochemist at the Loyola school of dentistry in Chicago. Dr. Rapp reported his discovery at a Boston convention of the American Dental Association.

The drug—called topocaine—is simply rubbed on the gums before the extraction. It completely deadens the nerve in two or three minutes.

Rupert and the Jumping Fish—33



Rupert watches the old sea serpent swim up to sea and disappear under the waves in his search, but the young one won't leave the island and stays gazing at his little sick friend. Rupert thinks hard. "When I'm ill I generally have a pain, but he's only weak. I wonder if he has had enough to eat." The meek boy doesn't answer when he is spoken to, so Rupert decides to see what food he can find and starts climbing towards the trees.

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I SUPPOSE YOUR DAUGHTER HAS CHANGED SINCE SHE'S BEEN AT COLLEGE!

YES, SHE'S BECOME A CARNIVOROUS READER AND QUITE CLEVER AT IMPOVERISHING MUSIC ON THE PIANO!

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

Counting On A Bad Break Saves Slam

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY

DR. LOUIS MARK became the first Life Master of Columbus, O., recently, when he passed the 300 mark in Master Points and became Life Master No. 82. Dr. Mark is a vice president of the American Contract Bridge League and a real bridge enthusiast.

"Doc" admitted he was a bit shaky when his partner put him into six hearts on today's hand, but he won a top score for himself because he did not take it for granted that the club suit would break.

He started out on the assumption that either the club or diamond suit might break badly, but not both of

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Murder Team Leaders Tried At Nuremberg

Nuremberg, Sept. 30.—The Chief Prosecutor, Benjamin B. Ferencz of New York City, today completed his two-day blitz presentation of evidence against 23 Nazi "Einsatz Gruppen" murder team leaders with a motion picture showing murdered Russians.

Ferencz and his assistants have crowded 174 documents into the court record since the trial opened at 9.30 a.m. yesterday. The documents were all affidavits or murder reports sent to higher headquarters by Einsatz units, which were formed especially to murder Jews, Communists and other "sub-social" elements of the population in Russia and Baltic states in 1941 and 1942.

This is the fastest prosecution case ever presented in a war crimes trial in Germany.

The No. 1 defendant, SS Major-General Otto Ohlendorf, took the film casually, but SS Brigadier-

General Heinz Jost, who sat next to Ohlendorf, mopped his brow, buried his head in his hands and leaned far forward and back in his chair throughout the film.

Erwin Schulz leaned his elbow on the front rail of the dock, completely attentive.

All defendants sat in the dark courtroom with a small orange-yellow spotlight focussed on their faces.

Thousands Of Corpses. The movies, taken in German cameramen, showed thousands of corpses piled into anti-tank ditches, or the bodies of individual war prisoners, men, women and children who had been killed by the Nazis.

Again and again the camera caught a woman bending down to kiss the frozen face of a dead child. A husband in English described the pictures calmly: "This is the wife who was raped and shot. . . . This boy was murdered because he would not give up his pigpen. . . . This is Roslov Station where 100 Soviet war prisoners were shot. . . . These wounded war prisoners were killed by retreating Nazis. . . . These hands were cut off from living men by the Gestapo. The bodies showed signs of torture."

The trial went into recess until next Monday when the defence will begin.

In a document introduced today defendant Heinz Schubert complained that the health of his men has been damaged by the heavy work of unloading corpses from vans in which they were passed.

One of the defendants is Lieutenant Ernest Elbersheim, who, before he was drafted to command an Einsatz group, was a priest, presiding minister of the provincial Protestant church in Bad Sobernheim and one of the theological experts of the Reich Ministry of Church Affairs. He is charged with personally supervising hundreds of killings.

—United Press.

Fritzsche's Appeal. Nuremberg, Sept. 30.—Hans Fritzsche, Nazi press chief, was today ordered to complete the nine-year labour sentence given him on January 31 by the local Nuremberg Denazification Court.

The Nuremberg Denazification Appeal Chamber today turned down Fritzsche's appeal against his nine-year sentence, but decided that the sentence should include the two years he has already spent in American and German prisons.

The Appeal Court ordered that he must never again hold public office, join a political party or become politically active. Neither will he be allowed to hold a position in future as a teacher, preacher, editor, writer or radio commentator.

The Court also withdrew his right to vote and his right to a pension.

Fritzsche stood erect in the crowded courtroom to hear the court's decision. His head was thrown back and there was no expression on his face.

Dr Otto Ziebell, chairman of the Appeal Board, ordered the confiscation of Fritzsche's fortune, with the exception of 5,000 Reichsmarks.

He was also ordered to pay the cost of the first trial and 60 percent of the cost of the appeal case, a total of 40,000 Reichsmarks.—United Press.

Letters To The Editor

Public Car Service

Sir,—An experience of mine as recently as Monday, causes me to view with apprehension the suggestion that public hire cars, as distinct from taxis, may be forbidden, unless they install meters and actually become taxis.

I required a car for a few hours, and telephoned a taxi company. The rate quoted was \$20 per hour. It being explained that the hourly rate would be cheaper than running on the meter. Subsequently, a friend advised me to telephone a public hire car garage. The quotation was \$14 per hour and \$4.50 per hour waiting time. A very considerable difference. The result was that I secured an excellent vehicle with an excellent driver.

I strongly deprecate the stifling of private enterprise. To do so in the present case would doubtless bring the public hire car into line with what is in my opinion, the extortionate charges demanded by the taxi companies.

ANTI-MONOPOLY

H.K. TELEPHONE CO. CHARGES

In our editorial comment on Monday of this week, which referred to the possibility of increased telephone charges, it was stated that the present rates were double those of pre-war. This, of course, is not the case. Abiding by an agreement made with the Civil Affairs Administration, the Hongkong Telephone Company has increased its charges only 50 percent above 1941. The error, which was unintentional, is acknowledged and regretted.

CHECK YOUR KNOWLEDGE

Answers

1. A large band made in the 1600's B.C. 2. Richard E. Byrd in his monoplane "Josephine Ford" on May 9, 1926. 3. General Dwight D. Eisenhower. 4. Cervantes "Don Quixote", 5. Spain.

DAB . . . AND FLOUNDER



TWO MORE STATES BECOME UNITED NATIONS MEMBERS

Flushing Meadows, New York, Sept. 30.—Sir Zafrullah Khan, leader of the Pakistan delegation, deplored the inability of the great powers to agree when he addressed the United Nations General Assembly here today.

PRIESTLEY SAID NOT IMPARTIAL

London, Sept. 30.—The Evening Standard today demanded the resignation of the novelist and playwright, J.B. Priestley, from the Royal Commission on the Press, for displaying "marked political bias."

The editorial declared: "While this investigation is proceeding, it might be thought that Mr Priestley would attempt to maintain at least the appearance of judicial impartiality."

It quoted Priestley as stating publicly yesterday: "A large section of the press is now dominated by the lack of grasping people that they are having a worse time than they actually are."

In an adjoining column, the Evening Standard's "London Diary" claimed that the Royal Commission had met only five days in nearly 12 months and added that predictions that the inquiry would last two years were too optimistic.

"At that rate the Commission's final report will coincide with the last trumpet and will be signed by the Archangel Gabriel," the paper said.—United Press.

INVASION WAS A FLOP

Havana, Sept. 30.—Two invasion ships, loaded with 800 revolutionary shock troops bent on overthrowing the Trujillo dictatorship in the Dominican Republic, put into the port of Antilla today under escort by the Cuban Navy. Their mission had been a failure.

Telephone reports from Antilla, 300 miles east of Havana on the North shore of Cuba, said two captured Dominican amphibious landing ships arrived under the escort of two Cuban frigates. Cuban Army bombers whirled over the vessels as an aerial escort and a heavy detachment of troops met the ships to take charge of the prisoners.

Preparations were made to dispatch the prisoners from the invasion ships—two converted Landing Craft, Infantry (LCI)—to Havana by special train.

Thus ended the grandiose scheme of the expeditionary force to storm the ramparts of the Dominican Republic—a plan involving months of planning, the expenditure of millions of dollars and repeated setting of the day, only to have the schedule miscarry.—United Press.

EARTHQUAKE KILLS 120

Tehran, Sept. 30.—One hundred and twenty people were killed and a further 300 are missing, almost certainly killed, as the result of an earthquake at Doostabai, in Persia's northeast province of Khorasan, near the Soviet border, it was officially announced here tonight.

The earthquake occurred three days ago, the communiqué said, but communications with the area had been cut off since then.

Further casualties were reported from Ferdows, in the same province, it was added.—Reuter.

NEW HONGKONG AIR COMPANY

London, Sept. 30.—The British Overseas Airways Corp. announced tonight that the Government has designated the Hongkong Airways Ltd. to establish a regional air service based at Hongkong.

The Hongkong Company is arranging to provide passenger, mail and freight service three times weekly between the British Colony and Shanghai and three times daily between Hongkong and Canton.—Associated Press.

Speaking at the ceremony admitting Pakistan to membership of the United Nations, he declared that in a sense Pakistan was a founder member of both the United Nations and the old League of Nations and a signatory of the Treaty of Versailles.

"It is more than two years since the second World War was supposed to have come to an end, yet the world is still groping for a peace which seems continuously to elude its grasp," he said.

"On behalf of my Government, I beg to convey to the United Nations the assurance that Pakistan will do all that lies within its power to bring about a better understanding between nations and make the utmost contribution of which it is capable towards securing and maintaining lasting peace."

Liberty And Tolerance

"It will also be ready and indeed anxious to make its due contribution toward the alleviation of all forms of human suffering and distress, and the promotion of beneficent operation among the nations for the raising of standards of living and the fostering of liberty and tolerance throughout the world."

Saying that, in a sense, the admission of Pakistan to the United Nations was not the admission of a new member, Sir Zafrullah Khan added: "Inasmuch as Pakistan had been part of India, it was in effect under the latter name a signatory to the Treaty of Versailles and an original member of the League of Nations."

"I recall I had the honour of leading the Indian delegation to the last session of the Assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva in December, 1939."

In the same sense, Pakistan, as part of India, participated in the San Francisco Conference in 1945 and became a signatory of the United Nations Charter.

Not New Member

"Therefore, Pakistan is not a new member of the United Nations but a co-successor to a member state which was one of the founders of the organization."

"Though Pakistan's admission to the United Nations is only a formal proceeding, yet Pakistan interprets it as an expression of confidence in the devotion of Pakistan to the ideals of the United Nations, of which it hopes it will continue to give ample proof on every occasion and in every direction."

While fully appreciative of the ideals of the United Nations, Sir Zafrullah Khan added, "the Pakistan delegation are equally conscious of the handicaps and shortcomings of the organization."

"We are convinced that the United Nations offer to mankind the last chance of salvation in the political, economic and social fields and that our united efforts ought to be directed towards the strengthening of the organization and discovering the means of making it work in the spirit in which it was founded and towards the achievement of the ideals which have been set up as its goal."

India's Follies

Mrs Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit, leader of the Indian delegation, in a speech from the rostrum of the General Assembly in which she joined in welcoming Pakistan to the United Nations, declared:

"It is generally a matter of gratitude to us of India that our sister nation should take her due and legitimate place in the international community here and make her contribution to the solution of the problems that face the world."

"In the case of Pakistan, there was never any dispute or doubt about her claim to be a member of the United Nations, and we have no doubt that by her positive contribution to our deliberations, and by her loyal adherence to the principles of the Charter, she will earn respect and honour among the nations."

India previously part of the former Indian empire, she has already been associated with the work of the United Nations and in that sense Pakistan is not a newcomer among us.

"We are all aware of the position she holds in a vast, populated, resource-rich area of the nations of Asia, and her association must therefore be a source of strength to us."

"We, of the Indian delegation, welcome her and wish her all success in her new responsibilities."

Decisive Contribution

Mr Hector McNair, the British delegate, who formally moved that Pakistan and Yemen be admitted to the United Nations, said: "Not only is my delegation glad that these two

admissions are about to receive final approval, we are confident that both these countries will make a decisive contribution to our deliberations."

"My delegation is particularly interested in the admission of Pakistan."

"Although it is only recently that they have attained the status which I am sure they will adorn, they have already shown great vitality, and although their delegation has not been inside the Assembly up to this moment, it has not been very far off in the wings, and many of us have enjoyed the advantage of their advice."

"Sir Zafrullah Khan is well known to many of us. He will be a great asset in the work of the Assembly and its committees."

Mrs Pandit gave her welcome to Pakistan after Egypt, the United States, Persia and Iraq had supported the admission of Pakistan and Yemen.

Afghanistan, although "sharing heartily in the rejoicing of the people of Pakistan over their freedom," said that she could not support Pakistan's admission because of a dispute on the Northwest Frontier Province, contending that the inhabitants should be able to decide whether they are to be independent or part of Pakistan.

After Turkey, the Lebanon and Brazil had supported the two admissions, the President of the Assembly, Dr. Arafat, in accordance with the request of Afghanistan, put a formal motion for the admissions to the vote.

One Vote Against

Of 54 nations present, 53 raised an assenting hand, only Afghanistan voted against.

The chief delegates of the two new member nations were then invited to the President's rostrum where, at a special table, they signed their adherence to the United Nations.

Yemen's Prince Seif es Islam Abdulrahman, wearing a colourful black and gold embroidered silk robe and white turban, contrasted vividly with Sir Zafrullah Khan, who was dressed in an ordinary dark lounge suit.

Both sat in the seats of honour while the President expressed the Assembly's deep sense of satisfaction at their admission.—Reuter.

OUTWARD MAILS

Christmas Parcel Mail.—The Christmas Parcel Mail for Great Britain will close at the General Post Office at noon on 1st October, 1947 and at Kowloon Central Post Office at 11.30 a.m. to-day. This Mail is subject to the rules of the United Kingdom early December, 1947.

Unless otherwise stated, registered letters and parcels close 30 minutes earlier than the ordinary mail. If mail closes before 10 a.m. registered and parcels will close on previous day.

Wednesday, October 1
Macao, Tainan & Shekhi (Sea) 1 p.m.
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, East & South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Liverpool (Sea) 2 p.m.

Thursday, October 2
Canton (Train) 7 a.m.
Macao, Tainan & Shekhi (Sea) 9 a.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 10 a.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) Noon.
Bangkok (Sea) 10 a.m.

Friday, October 3
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) 2 p.m.
Bangkok (Sea) 2 p.m.

Saturday, October 4
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) 2 p.m.
Bangkok (Sea) 2 p.m.

Sunday, October 5
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) 2 p.m.
Bangkok (Sea) 2 p.m.

Monday, October 6
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) 2 p.m.
Bangkok (Sea) 2 p.m.

Tuesday, October 7
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) 2 p.m.
Bangkok (Sea) 2 p.m.

Wednesday, October 8
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) 2 p.m.
Bangkok (Sea) 2 p.m.

Thursday, October 9
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) 2 p.m.
Bangkok (Sea) 2 p.m.

Friday, October 10
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) 2 p.m.
Bangkok (Sea) 2 p.m.

Saturday, October 11
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) 2 p.m.
Bangkok (Sea) 2 p.m.

Sunday, October 12
Canton (Train) 2 p.m.
Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar (Sea) 2 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta (Sea) 2 p.m.
Bangkok (Sea) 2 p.m.

Chinese Reds Start New Offensive

Peiping, Sept. 30.—The Chinese Reds struck the first big blow in a new round of the battle in Manchuria today, razing five railway stations north of the Great Wall, causing a major branch in the Peiping-Mukden lifeline and launching a determined assault on the strategic port of Hulutao after snapping the railway here in days of sporadic raids and withdrawals.

The Communists are sweeping forward along a 100-mile front between Shanhaikwan and Chinghai, and driving a firm wedge between Manchuria and China Proper. The vital military supply port of Hulutao has been placed under virtual siege.

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- Miscellaneous Equipment

The equipment may be inspected on the premises by application to Mr H. W. Arnott, Assembly Plant Manager.

Tender Forms incorporating conditions are obtainable at the following addresses:

1. C.I.T., Chatham Road, Kowloon.
2. U.N.R.R.A., 122 Austin Road, Kowloon.

Tenders are conditional on all equipment being removed prior to the 30th October, 1947.

Tenders must be received by the undersigned by 12 noon on Monday, 6th October, 1947.

A. S. COWAN, Acting Director, U.N.R.R.A., 122 Austin Road, Kowloon.

NOTICE

THE MACAO ELECTRIC LIGHTING COMPANY, LIMITED

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-Second Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ltd., Hongkong, on Thursday, the Ninth day of October, 1947, at 11 a.m.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

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